

Call or me or anyone else, you file, the company files a value of their equipment. Now even if they lied a whole bunch there is a whole bunch of dollars that would be collected. It said in the front page of the Omaha World Herald a couple of years ago when operation looking glass was brought in that a 150 million dollars of new private equipment, business equipment to support that was brought in. That one item alone, lets say at  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to  $2\frac{1}{2}\%$  on that 150 million would be three to five million dollars of taxes every year. So, I think it is time to force the issue. This directs the Attorney General to start doing something. It directs our congressional delegation to do something and it says, Executive Board, you are going to have the oversight to go ahead and do this and to make sure she happens. It is proper and fair that we should be getting this money instead of everybody in the State of Nebraska paying for it. It is an important resolution. I really hope that you will support it.

SENATOR CLARK: The motion is the adoption of the resolution. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Senator Clark voting yes.

SENATOR CLARK: Record.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of the resolution.

SENATOR CLARK: The resolution is adopted. LB 278 or LR 278.

CLERK: Mr. President, 278 is offered by Senator Sieck and Vickers and Landis and it is on page 1491.

SENATOR CLARK: Senator Sieck.

SENATOR SIECK: Senator Clark and members of the Legislature, when you and many of us came to this country or our forefathers came here it was all virgin prairie. It was something to behold by the eye, the amount of grass that covered these plains. It is a very rich land and it is still rich but it was because of the prairie that was here at that time. Now today these prairie lands are virtually non-existent in the State of Nebraska. But the few that are remaining can teach us a great deal about the heritage, where we have come from. Professors not only from Nebraska but from across the nation have studied parcels of land such as the nine mile prairie west of Lincoln to learn